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Butler must go this fall, and will go very lively.

The democrats in Ohio will be glad when the funeral is over.

By the helping hand of the democrats, the republicans will win in 1884.

The total receipts of the state fair at Madison will foot up about \$16,000.

Simon Cameron once said: "Congress is a fool to give any money towards Polar expeditions. I'd like to know what in thunder we could do with the north pole if we had it."

The plain reason why the democrats won't admit Dakota next winter is because it would have three republican electoral votes for 1884, and the democratic house doesn't want them.

It is reported that postmasters have drawn so heavily on the department for 2-cent stamps that the contractors are unable to supply the demand, although they manufacture 1,500,000 daily.

Postmaster General Gresham has promised to visit Chicago next week to look into the question of additional letter-carriers for that city. He should also enquire into the honesty of the postoffice clerks and carriers of Chicago. There are more letters opened and more money stolen by the clerks connected with the Chicago postoffice than by the attendants of any postoffice in the United States. It is about time this thing should stop.

The will of the late Jason Downer, of Milwaukee, ex-chief justice, has been published. The bulk of the property is bequeathed to his wife, although several other relatives are handsomely remembered. A number of charitable institutions and a faithful servant girl get \$1,000 each and the Wisconsin female college at Fox Lake comes in for the residue of the estate after all bequests are paid. At the death of Mrs. Downer, Beloit and Dartmouth colleges are to receive \$10,000 each.

Joe McCullough, editor of the St. Louis Globe-Democrat, who was thought to be dying a few weeks ago, jumped out of bed the other day and went down to New York. He didn't fall among thieves, but fell into the hands of a Herald reporter and this is what he said to the reporter: "The republicans can win without New York, but not easily. However, with God and John Kelly on our side we may carry the state in spite of the kickers. We've had God on our side and once in a while we get John Kelly in a left-handed but helping way."

With half an eye one can see that McCullough is not dead yet. Joe is a great philosopher.

It is very dangerous, sometimes to fool with a buzz-saw. The New York Sun is sort of playing with William S. Holman, of Indiana, as a presidential candidate. That same paper has had a little valuable experience which it should not forget. In 1872 it ran Philosopher Greeley, Farmer Greeley and Dr. Greeley for president as a matter of amusement for some months, and finally it found Greeley a nominated candidate and the Sun compelled to support him, for want of some other place to go. By a little fooling with Holman, he may be nominated. Barmecide could not do it.

The papers that are continually attempting to "little General Logan, whether regarding his English or his presidential aspirations, do not display common sense or ordinary decency. It would be hard to find a general below the ranks of Grant, Sherman and Sheridan, who did more effective service for the country during the war than General Logan, and as a senator, Illinois has not had an abler one since the days of Douglas. His English is good enough and appears to be strong enough to hold the attention of the senate of the United States and challenge the admiration of the country.

There has been a good deal of fun poked at the United States navy, and especially at the cost of building and maintaining it. But from official sources it is ascertained that the navy, improvised during the war, cost \$84,000,000, and the material and vessels were sold for \$6,000,000, leaving the net cost of the war navy about \$48,000,000. In the eighteen years since the war the United States has spent for naval vessels only \$8,000,000, while England has spent \$150,000,000, France \$85,000,000, Russia \$85,000,000, Italy, \$32,000,000, Germany \$37,000,000, Turkey \$17,000,000, Brazil \$10,000,000 and Chili \$7,000,000—all for iron clads. These facts should stop the croakers until they know what they are croaking about.

There is a free trade paper published over in Iowa which has taken upon itself the task of showing the people that our tariff laws as regards salt are exceedingly unjust, and says:

Under our tariff laws if a man buys salt for the purpose of curing fish, he gets it with a rebate of duty, but the cattle-man and pork packer pay full price for salt without a rebate.

To this wise and mistakenment the Inter Ocean answers: "Under our tariff laws" if the editor of the Ottawa Free Trader needs an empty barrel he will find it cheaper to send to Saginaw or Chicago for a barrel of salt, which he can get for 70 cents, and then throw away the salt, than it will be to stop out to the nearest store in Ottawa and buy the empty barrel, for which he will be charged \$1.50 to \$2. That's the way the tax on salt grinds him.

Probably there are not many democratic free-traders who understand that the present cost of salt without the

barrel is 10 cents a bushel. The price at which salt was imported under democratic law duties in 1840, varied from 12 cents to 19 cents a bushel; in 1850 it varied from 10 cents to 22 cents a bushel; in 1860 it varied from 10 cents to 17 cents—but it averages under our present duties slightly less than 2 cents per bushel lower than in 1830 on the domestic, and 2.7 cents a bushel lower on the foreign salt, than it did under low duties.

The Inter Ocean calls to mind one fact which the public should understand: "Salt is in destructible as salt by any of the processes to which it is subjected in commerce. Hence the cattle-men and pork-packers need part with no more salt than they actually sell as meat and at the price of meat in their business. Hence they buy their salt at 1-6 of a cent a pound and sell it at 12 to 25 cents a pound, thus making a profit of 75-fold or 7,500 per cent on all the salt they sell. How long will it take them to get ruined for lack of the rebate on an article on which they make 7,500 per cent profit on each package, while the salt-makers themselves are quite content with probably 20 per cent per annum on their capital invested over the cost of the labor."

"The free-traders commend to our example as a specimen of perfect free trade good old England, which in India compels her Hindoo subjects to pay 2s 6d sterling per pound of salt as a direct tax on the production of salt, even if they scoop it up with their own bare hands out of the sea or out of the dirt, and lash them till the blood 'spirts' from their backs if they do not pay this 7,500 per cent tax. And yet it is considered bright or American funkeys to get their tax policies from England instead of to adjust them with American brains in accordance with American facts and interests."

## CONDENSED NEWS.

C. T. Meade & Co., fur manufacturers of Toronto, have failed for \$95,000.

The Yantic has sailed from St. John's for New York with Lieut. Garlington and party.

Kasson & Co., boot and shoe makers, of Cincinnati, have made an assignment to cover debts of \$45,000.

A note of the Irish republic for \$5, a fair imitation of the greenback, was obtained in Boston by a secret service officer.

Cadet John V. Hamilton has been dismissed from West Point for unbecoming conduct, and Cadet Thomas L. Kern was suspended until July for violation of the rules.

The Pittsburg members of the Knights of Labor threaten to withdraw because a free trader of Massachusetts was placed at the head of the executive committee.

At the Athlone theatre in St. Louis a traveling salesman named Richard Whelan fired a shot at an actress named Carrie Hark, and then blew out his brains. He had been drinking to excess.

The machine shops of the Hannibal & St. Joe road, in the former city, valued at \$40,000, were burned. A fire in New York swept away the planing mill of Robert Ellis and huge piles of lumber worth \$50,000.

Robert Palmer, while packing clerk in a grocery house at Des Moines, stole goods valued at \$1,499. He shipped them to Rock Island and resigned his position. When arrested, he was selling his plunder by sample.

Near Decatur, Ill., at a crossing of the Indianapolis road, a wagon containing S. M. C. Davis and his wife and two children was flung into a ditch by a freight train. All were severely hurt, but none of them was killed.

The Canadian Pacific company expects to construct 900 miles of road this year. Gravel is nearly finished to the summit of the Rocky mountains, and trains will run to that point by Oct. 15. The completed track is 1,442 miles in length; 25,000 men are employed, and \$100,000 per day is paid out in wages.

Five women who arrived in New York by the steamer Republic, and who declared that they brought nothing dutiable, were forced to witness the taking of \$5,000 worth of merchandise from their baggage and clothing. One of the smugglers is said to be Miss E. Jordan, a dressmaker of Chicago.

Albert Fisher, a glasscutter in Pittsburg, has eloped with the eldest daughter of John Phillips, an iron manufacturer. The young lady ran out of her sister's house, followed by her mother, crossed a potato patch, and reached a carriage where her lover sat waiting. In two hours the couple returned with a marriage certificate.

A young son of James C. White, of Jackson county, Alabama, was abducted last month, and nearly one thousand men were in pursuit with bloodhounds, when the lad was found tied to a tree near Newman, Ga., and well-nigh starved. A man named Oglesbee stole the youth, as he has three others, and will be lynched if caught.

Avenger O'Donnell is reported to be disgusted at the apathy of the Irish people in his case, and has remarked that \$20,000 could be collected in a week to save the man who committed the most popular murder of the day. A solicitor retained by friends of the accused was refused admission to his cell, the governor of the prison insisting that the American consul must be communicated with in regard to the defense.

**Architect Hill.**  
WASHINGTON, Sept. 22.—Supervising Architect Hill laid before Secretary Folger a formal reply to those portions of the New report which reflect upon his office. He defends himself against the charges of favoritism, and declares that in every case there has been compliance with the spirit of the law, that in the matter of contracts for the fire proof shutters the committee was in error with reference to the tests, which he says were complete and conclusive. He also explains the matter of repairs to heating apparatus, and holds that the practice of the department in the matter was the most economical and reasonable one.

**Griggs' Glycerine Salve.**  
The best on earth can truly be said of Griggs' Glycerine Salve, which is sure cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns, wounds, and all other sores. Will positively cure piles, tetter and skin eruptions. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Only 25 cents. For sale by Sterns & Baker.

**Terrible State of Things among the Manufacturers of Cheap and Adulterated Baking Powder.** At the capture of their trade by DeLand & Co., with their Chem-

ical Baking Powder, wherever the two have come together. The American people are able and willing to pay for a first-class article when it is offered to them.

## POLITICAL MATTERS.

Senator Harrison Speaks at Des Moines, Iowa.

Ex-Congressman Burrows Fall of Confidence—Hamilton County Democrats—Hill at a Boston Ward Meeting.

DES MOINES, Iowa, Sept. 22.—Both auditorium and stage of Moore's opera house were crowded with people to hear Senator Harrison, of Indiana. The signal for order was the displaying of the American flag, with the motto inscribed thereon, "A school house on every hill, and no saloon in the valley," which evoked much applause. Hon. C. C. Nourse was called to preside at a meeting addressed by Gen. William Henry Harrison, forty-eight years ago, was called out and named over briefly the great man of Indiana he had known. He then called attention to a log cabin badge on his coat that he had worn during the campaign of 1840. He asked the gleeful club to sing "Tippecanoe and Tyler, Too," which was given amid uproarious applause, although the hard-core abolitionists hardly in keeping with a prohibition meeting. Senator Harrison, on being introduced, expressed his thanks for the honor accorded him and his distinguished grandfather, but asked to enter a disclaimer and to be received on his own merit, if he had any, rather than on the pedigree. He then proceeded to the discussion, paying particular attention to the tariff question.

EX-CONGRESSMAN BURROWS' CONFIDENCE.  
CHICAGO, Sept. 22.—Ex-Congressman J. C. Burrows, of Michigan, who is on his way to Iowa to stump the state for the Republicans, was at the Grand Pacific hotel. He said that he would be better able to talk about the condition of Iowa politics after he had returned from that state, where he expects to spend next week talking tariff.

Speaking of the prospects in Michigan, next fall he thought that the Republicans would carry the state. "In fact," he said, "I don't think there is any doubt about the Republicans carrying the whole country in 1884. I feel confident that they will sweep everything. New York and Ohio are the only two doubtful states, and I am sanguine about them."

"What of the result in the present Ohio campaign?"

"Oh, the Republicans will come out on top of the heap beyond all question. They've the advantage of Democratic blunders, and the very best organization among themselves."

"Who do you think will be speaker of the next house?"

"Carlisle, I think. Reagan, of Texas, is against Randall. Blunt and a number of others are for Carlisle. It looks as if the Republicans would like to see him speaker for certain reasons. He would name the ways and means committee, and that committee is likely to bring up the question of the tariff. We want the Democrats to do that, and we want them to declare themselves for free trade. Then we will make that the issue. This country will never stand free trade, and if the Democrats declare themselves for it we will find protection the best recommendation the Republicans could have." As to who the Republicans were likely to nominate for president, the gentleman from Michigan expressed the opinion that all expressions on this subject were purely speculative.

HAMILTON COUNTY DEMOCRATS.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 22.—The Reform Democrats met and unanimously passed the following resolution:

Whereas, Every honorable means of securing an adjustment between the Highland house committee and this committee has failed, therefore

Resolved, That we at once proceed to the work of the campaign and direct our efforts to the election of our ticket.

The committee on conference reported and was discharged. This virtually precludes any further negotiations, and the war now commences in earnest.

CAUCUS FIGHTS IN BOSTON.

BOSTON, Sept. 22.—The Democratic caucuses have been held. In the Twenty-second ward the caucus broke up in a free fight, and in the Third ward there was a bolt. All the delegates elected are for Butler.

## RUMORS OF WAR.

Railway Freight and Passenger War Talk.

CHICAGO, Sept. 22.—The air is full of rumors of war in both freight and passenger rates, and it is looked upon as a poor day that does not develop symptoms of some new complications. The Rock Island was the latest favored one. Indiscriminate rumors were about that the rate to Kansas City had been reduced by that line from \$14.50 to \$9.50. Rock Island officials denied the allegations, asserting that they were maintaining rates over the counter, and were not even cutting in the "outside" way through brokers. There is a little probability that a war of rates will be inaugurated between the Northern and Central Pacific railroads, growing out of the efforts of the former to secure the through business from southern Oregon. The Central has already made a slight reduction in its freight tariff, which was promptly met by Villard's line, and the feeling at Thursday's meeting at San Francisco would indicate that there is no harmony existing between the two corporations.

A Scramble for Place.

CHICAGO, Sept. 22.—The Times special from Washington city says:

The speakership candidates are coming to town, and will soon have their rival shops open and be doing a brisk business. Carlisle and company are to set up their headquarters at the Riggs house. Morrison will make Villard's his headquarters. Springer goes to the National, where Randall conducted his successful canvass against Blackburn four years ago. Randall will probably choose the same base of operations this season. He was in the other day to spy out the land, and is now in West Virginia. Cox was also here recently, but only to go to a minstrel performance.

Still Another Telegraph Company.

NEW YORK, Sept. 22.—The certificate of incorporation of the International and Northern Telegraph company has been filed. The lines are to run from New York to all parts of the country. The capital stock is fixed at \$5,000,000. The incorporators are A. D. Remington, A. W. Clark, Orren G. Staples, C. Meyer, C. W. Town, J. F. Walton, William H. Kimball, M. C. Martin, F. T. Story, James H. Seales, E. B. Bulkeley, W. S. Gilbert, Isaac Munson, W. H. Breen and P. C. Underdonk.

Thrown From a Swing.

BELLINGHAM, Sept. 22.—Katie, a 9-year-old daughter of Thomas Moore, of West Wheeling, in this township, was thrown violently from a swing to the ground, and both arms were broken and her hip dislocated. The child is in a precarious condition, and will probably die.

## THE TRADE OUTLOOK.

Legitimate Business Reported to be Healthy and Prosperous.

NEW YORK, Sept. 22.—The R. G. Dun & Co. mercantile agency report says that notwithstanding the fact that transactions, as interpreted by the bank exchanges, show a large decline as compared with last year, all the symptoms regarding trade point to a healthy condition. Speculation, particularly in the transport than a year ago, but legitimate trade is almost as large in volume, and certainly more satisfactory, both as to the condition of stocks held and profits realized. The large absorption of goods at the chief jobbing centers indicates a healthy tone in the retail trade of the country. Collections generally are good and money continues in abundant supply, and rates for loans are exceptionally low for this season, when so much money is required for the moving of crops. In dry goods there has been a great deal of activity of a very healthy character, and, as in groceries, iron and other trading staples, there is in the main a satisfactory condition. In cotton there have been some fractional advances, showing that the bull element is in the ascendant, and prices closed higher and steady. There is a fair movement in spot cotton, sellers generally securing an advance. Advertisements from the crops still remain unfavorable, and the movement of new cotton shows no great increase. The grain markets continue to decline. In rice prices are well sustained, with only moderate supplies offering. The market for raw sugar is strong, with prices still slightly advancing.

## EDUCATIONAL CONVENTION.

Meeting of Educators at Louisville Ky.—Educational Wants in the South.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 22.—The states represented at the educational convention are Alabama, California, Connecticut, District of Columbia, Florida, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Massachusetts, Mississippi, Missouri, New Hampshire, Pennsylvania, Ohio, North Carolina, South Carolina, Texas, Tennessee, Vermont, Virginia and West Virginia. Federal aid to schools and the educational needs of the south were the topics discussed, and a resolution favoring an appropriation by congress for educational purpose to be distributed among the several states, upon the basis of school population was introduced, and referred to a committee on resolutions. The discussion was carried on by Dr. J. L. Curry, agent of the Peabody fund; Hon. A. G. Willis, congressman, of Mississippi; Dr. J. W. Dixon; Dr. Ward, of Louisville; J. W. Simmons, principal of a colored school in this city; Hon. Thos. Bucknell, of Massachusetts; Prof. W. T. Harris, of St. Louis; Gen. Eaton, United States commissioner of education; Col. C. W. Taylor, of Chicago, and others. It was urged that government aid was needed by both the whites and negroes of the south, and an alarming amount of illiteracy was shown to exist in the southern states. The wants of the colored people were dwelt upon at length by Mr. Simmons. Judge Buckner presided.

## WOMAN SUFFRAGE.

And its Connection With the Union of Church and State.

NEW YORK, Sept. 22.—"The only unpleasant result to be feared from giving the ballot to women in the possible case of church and state," said Miss Helen Potter, the educationist, on taking the stand before the Blair committee. "It is a well known fact that nine-tenths of the membership of the churches of this country are made up of women. Should they be allowed to vote, their action upon all political matters would doubtless be governed by the position held by the church to which they belonged. I think it would take at least 100 years for women to learn the tricks of politics so they could use them to the best advantage." Miss Potter, in speaking of the meagre opportunities given to working girls for recreation and self-improvement, said: "There isn't a baseball club, a bowling alley, a billiard table, an art gallery or anything else open to a girl who wants healthy amusement after too drudgery of her day's work. I believe something of the kind should be established by the philanthropic people of this city. Girls do not want to remain in the dirty tenement houses any longer than they are obliged to. Give them a chance to improve and they will certainly do it."

## The British Grain Talk.

JANESVILLE, Sept. 22.—A leading Liverpool grain circular says: "The grain market is quiet. Foreign wheats are rather more steady. English wheat, under liberal supplies, is generally 6d. to 1s. lower. Cargoes off coast continue depressed and difficult to sell, unless a large reduction is made in price. A majority of the holders, therefore, order them elsewhere. Since Tuesday a better feeling is apparent. Trade for forward delivery is also improved. Indian corn on spot is 1/2 penny dearer. As the market there is not overabundant. Wheat is in moderately good consumptive demand, especially for winter, which was 1 penny higher. Flour is in fair request. Corn is in small supply and rather dearer. In the Mining Lane market there is more inquiry for low brown sugar."

Baggage Agents in Council.

CHICAGO, Sept. 22.—The convention of the national association of general baggage agents at the Tremont house has adjourned. The present system which prevails in many cities, of checking baggage at private residences, hotels, etc., was unanimously condemned by the association for numerous reasons. A resolution was also adopted recommending to the general passenger agent that, if practicable, the maximum weight of single pieces of emigrant baggage be reduced to 50 pounds, the amount allowed to other passengers. The annual convention of the association will be held at St. Louis, the third Wednesday of next February.

Carriage on Tariff.

LONDON, Sept. 22.—At the session of the British association for the advancement of science, some members argued that, despite the protective laws of Canada, imports from Great Britain have increased, while the imports from the United States remain stationary. Sir Charles Tupper contended that protection was forced upon Canada by the fiscal measures of the United States.

Mr. Roberts Replied.

SHELIMAN, Mo., Sept. 22.—During divine service at Rogers, Ark., E. C. Roberts shot and fatally wounded Dr. Elliott, one of the proprietors of the celebrated Cross Hollow distillery. Dr. Elliott first opened fire on Mr. Roberts, clipping his mustache, and Mr. Roberts replied, with the result as stated.

Fire Record.

NEW YORK, Sept. 22.—Fire destroyed the planing mill of Robert Ellis, whose loss is \$5,000. The mill was surrounded by piles of lumber, which fell a prey to the flames, and which mostly belonged to G. L. Schuyler & Co., who estimate their loss at \$40,000. The building was a valuable structure.

HALL'S HONEY OF HOREHOUND AND TAR will arrest every ailment of the lungs, throat, or chest.

PIKE'S TOOTHACHE DROPS cure in one minute.

## LOCAL MATTERS.

One of the best liveries in the city is located on Bluff street, second door east of the Pember house. Mr. Ames has been engaged in the livery business here 8 years and has a first class stock. His prices are as low as the lowest. Call on him when you want of a good turnout.

N. K. Brown's Essence ginger at Prentice & Evenson's, opposite postoffice.

Flannels, waterproofs and table linens 25 per cent less than regular prices, at Chicago store.

Croft & Whitton's essence of Jamaica Ginger is the purest and best in the market. 25 and 40 cents a bottle.

Go to Palmer & Stevens' drugstore for Humphrey's Homeopathic Specific.

Call and see the new lace neckwear and fancy goods, at McKee & Bro.

Fine quality of laundered shirts at \$1.00 each, at McKee & Bros.

Stoddard's buffalo meat the great health drink, at Palmer & Stevens' drug store.

Clothing for men and boys, and pants goods cheaper than ever, at Chicago store.

Prentice & Evenson, the Druggists, opposite the Post office, Janesville, Wis.

Refrigerators and summer goods at cost, at Green & Rice's.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is sold by Prentice & Evenson, opposite the postoffice.

New styles in gingham and prints, at McKee & Bro.

You can save money on a good winter suit at J. L. Ford's, West Milwaukee street.

You can save money on machine oil by calling on Green & Rice, West Milwaukee street.

Rooms to rent over shoe store on Main street, inquire of John Monaghan.

Real estate at bottom prices at office J. G. Saxe.

A fine line of medicated and toilet soaps at Croft & Whitton.

J. L. Ford, West Milwaukee street, has the finest line of suitings in the city.

Extra inducements offered to the in suming public at office of J. G. Saxe.

Call for Little Devils, at Eldredge's.

Before renewing that policy of yours get prices of J. G. Saxe.

Call at the Central carriage works on River street and examine their work, it can't be beat.

"Salicylic" for rheumatism, at Prentice & Evenson's, opposite postoffice.

AMUSEMENTS.

MYERS' OPERA HOUSE

G. E. MOSELEY, MANAGER.

Two Nights and One Matinee.

MONDAY AND TUESDAY EVENING,

SEPT. 24 and 25.



Chas. Forbes' Comedy Co.

The most talented combination traveling

Monday Evening,

They will present an entirely new and original

version of

Uncle Tom's Cabin,

Its great success at Alhambra, Chicago, drawing crowded houses for six weeks; Booth's Theatre, New York, ten weeks; Academy of Music, Philadelphia, ten weeks; Theatre, Washington, seven weeks is sufficient evidence of its popularity at the present day. This remarkable entertainment will play and the interest it has awakened is well attested, and owing to the artistic manner in which it is illustrated by this excellent company, who have played it 1000 times have induced the management to present it again this season, which with the magnificent scenery, charming musical effects and touching incidents, have aroused the greatest enthusiasm among all classes, and elicited the most favorable comments from the press, and the hearty endorsement of a leading element of the community.

afternoon and evening, with a grand transformation, illustrating the picture of The Beautiful Sister Aft.

Tuesday Eve. Sept. 25.

THE NEW

BLACK DIAMOND

(Of the Heroine of Hazelton.)

The Highly Artistic, Amusing and Emotional Drama, in Five Acts, written, arranged, and acted by the famous comedienne, recently re-written and arranged. Wonderful, Amusing, Interesting. Do you want to have a good hearty laugh, and at the same time witness something that will astonish you? Then do not fail to see Black Diamonds. One moment the audience is spell bound as they listen to the presentation of the signs, omens, passwords and promises made by its candidates during their initiation (which is presented every evening) into the mysteries of this wicked organization. The next moment the audience is convulsed with laughter at the amusing scenes and ridiculous situations that are enacted every evening. After the presentation of the signs, omens, passwords and promises made by its candidates during their initiation (which is presented every evening) into the mysteries of this wicked organization. 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**STOLEN OR STRAYED**—This morning a black and white young Collie dog, a liberal reward will be paid by returning him to Galbraith Bros.

**WANTED**—To rent immediately a house of medium size, east side of the river preferred. Address box 1669.

The boom on ladies' dress gowns has already commenced at the New York cash store. More fine garments sold yesterday than any other two houses in Janesville ever sold in any one day in the month of September. Ladies are wise in making selections while the assortment is good, no such show of garments ever before shown in Janesville as M. C. Smith has now on sale.

Found—a large cat. For particulars enquire at Hainstreet's drugstore.

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The largest and finest assortment of hair goods ever brought to Janesville, can be seen at Mrs. William Sailer's, open house block.

Croft & Whitten have just received a new trunk which is superior to any trunk ever invented. People who have failed to find relief from other trunks will do well to try one.

Dr. Townsend's celebrated Remedy for Hay Fever, Asthma, and Catarrh, used and recommended by Rev. Henry Ward Beecher. Sold by Stearns & Baker.

All styles of chamber suits at Ashcraft's.

Men's and boys' fur and wool hats from 35 cents up, at Chicago store.

If you want a good overcoat, call on J. L. Ford, West Milwaukee street.

Croft & Whitten keep all the patent medicines.

If you want to buy a good Rock county farm, or a good house and lot in the city of Janesville, cheap, and be sure of a perfect title buy of H. H. Blanchard.

Ladies and childrens underwear at Chicago prices at Chicago store.

Shaker extract pills and plasters, at Eldredge's.

If you want a bargain in parlor furniture, easy chairs, patent rockers and lounges, call on R. H. Morris, opposite Myers' opera house.

Call on R. H. Morris, for mattresses and springs. Repairing done on short notice.

Fine toilet sets at Eldredge's.

Privileges for refreshments, stands, booths, etc., on the Rock county fair grounds will be sold on Monday afternoon, September 24th 2 p. m. on the grounds.

John Monaghan has just received a large stock of fall boots and shoes, that will be sold at prices less than ever appeared in this city.

For SALE—A nice little home on the east side of Rock river, 6 miles above Janesville, containing about 70 acres, 24 under cultivation and the balance covered with second growth timber. A snug little house and barn with basement and springs of living water. For particulars see Willis Miles at county treasurer's office.

**MEDICAL DISPENSARY**—Dr. Fishblatt has taken a long lease on the residence of Mrs. Peter Myers, on East Milwaukee street, for his family, and will open a large dispensary in the city of Janesville next month, October, and make his future home here, and as soon as he can find a suitable place he will build. Due notice of his opening his office will appear in his column advertisement.

**TO THE PUBLIC**—The undersigned has leased for a term of years, a part of the block formerly used by Hogeboom & Alwood on West Milwaukee street, and has opened a lumber yard where I will have better facilities for handling lumber than ever before. A side track of the Northwestern road now runs into the yard, which will save to persons purchasing lumber of me the expense of hauling with teams to the central part of the city. Persons wishing to purchase lumber are respectfully requested to call and examine my stock and prices at the new yard, before making purchases elsewhere. After the stock at the old yard on River street has been closed out, my business will all be transferred to the new place of business on West Milwaukee street. Office at the new yard is with Charles Atwood & Co. A. E. BUREN, Janesville, Sept. 15th, 1888.

For all kinds of furniture, cheap, call at Ashcraft's.

Thomas' Electric Oil, sold and warranted by Prentice & Evenson, druggists.

Electric fly paper 5 cents per sheet, at Palmer & Stevens drug store.

Just received—at Wheelock's crockery store—a job lot of diamond shape French plate mirrors, and satin front wall pockets, ebony frame, at one-third price \$1.25.

**BIBLES**—Including family Bibles, at prices ranging from two to twenty dollars each. Also a large assortment of teachers Bibles, as well as Bibles for all, at from thirty cents up to twelve dollars each. For a full supply of Bibles call at Sutherland's bookstore.

Extra heavy German table linen worth 85 cents only 55 cents at Chicago store.

And still they come. Another arrival of goods this morning at the second hand store of Sanborn & Caniff, 58 North Main street.

The "smacks" cigars have won for themselves a state reputation, and are unequalled for quality. Ask for them.

For SALE—Residence of Captain H. A. Smith, on Jackson street, for sale cheap for cash. Inquire of Dimock & Hayner.

**Briefs.**

—To-morrow—Sunday—attend church.

—The Sons of Temperance meet this evening.

—Malden's Picnic at the opera house this evening.

—Fun at the Malden picnic at the opera house to-night.

—Mr. A. Hoskins, of Bluff street, second ward, is putting a new roof on his residence.

—Mr. James Ogden, an old and prominent resident of Footville, died last evening, of malarial fever.

—Yankee pumpkins are plentifully displayed at our grocery stores and watermelons are fast disappearing.

—Don't forget the entertainments at the opera house next Monday and Tuesday evenings—Uncle Tom and the Black Diamonds.

—The public schools of Beloit were dismissed yesterday afternoon, in order that the pupils might witness the races between the firemen.

—Any responsible family who desires to adopt a bright little girl nine years of age, can learn further particulars by calling at the Gazette counting room.

—The building committee of the county board of supervisors took County Treasurer Miles to the county poor house to-day, for the purpose of inspecting the buildings.

—The interesting series of stereopticon exhibitions given by Rev. Horace Gates, for the benefit of Christ church guild, will be concluded in Lappin's hall this evening. Fill the hall.

—Mrs. A. B. West, of Chicago, died at half-past ten o'clock last night, at the residence of Mr. Wm. Buck, on South Jackson street. Her remains were taken to Chicago on the one o'clock train this afternoon.

—Henry Miller was before the municipal court to-day and plead not guilty to the charge of an assault with intent to do great bodily harm upon the person of Thomas Pratt. The trial was set for September 26th at 2 o'clock p. m.

—Yank Newell's Malden picnic party, on the band accompanying the party, paraded the streets this afternoon in one of Burr Robbins' gorgeous band chariots. The little stage donkey brought up the rear in good order.

—The Sisters of Mercy have received a deed to the property known as St. Joseph's convent in this city, they having succeeded in raising the necessary funds in this city. The notice of the sale of the convent was mentioned in the Gazette some days ago.

—Probably one of the largest cauliflower ever raised in Rock county, was brought to the Gazette office this morning by Mr. B. Spence. It weighed 7 pounds and a quarter trimmed, and measured 3 feet and 7 1/2 inches in circumference. It was a solid, handsome head, and one of the finest specimens of the cauliflower we have yet seen.

—The choir of the Congregational church gave their leader, Mrs. H. A. Smith, a genuine surprise last evening. At rehearsal they presented her a fine rattan chair, artistically made and seated with handsome plush. This is an attestation of respect that is very well deserved, and will be deeply appreciated by Mrs. Smith.

—The "big boys," over our West Milwaukee streets had considerable fun last evening at the expense of one of the hardware merchants. It appears the hardware man deals extensively in clothes wringers, but has no private mark upon his goods by which he can identify them. Night before last he accidentally left one of his sample wringers on the outside of his door and closed up for the night. A little later one of the honest "big boys," that are quite numerous in the locality, noticed the wringer and took it into his own place of business. Next morning the "job" was put up a little deeper and more carefully than the game of the chief engineer of the Beloit tournament yesterday. They first put the city marshal "into the affair," and then the fun commenced. The marshal interviewed the hardware man concerning wringers, and finally inquired if any were missing or stolen. Hardware man could not tell, in fact he did not know how many he had in stock. Last evening the "big boys" took the wringer and after a consultation concluded that it was worth the cigars for the crowd and accordingly repaired to a neighboring place, and "put it up" for a smoke. This morning some one, rumor says a gentleman residing in the neighborhood of 69 Washington street, gave the thing away, and the hardware man laid claim to his property. It only cost him one dollar for the cigars. And now he is looking for the groceryman who took the wringer in out of the dark.

**The Grave Robbers**  
Of all classes of people the professional grave robbers are the most despised. He robs us of our dear friends for a few dollars. How different is this new grave robber, Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure, which robs graves of thousands of consumptives. This unexcelled remedy for coughs, colds and consumption, whooping cough, croup and all throat and lung diseases, subdues and conquers these troubles speedily, safely and thoroughly. Trial bottles free, of Stearns & Baker.

**The Weather.**  
REPORTED BY PRENTICE & EVENSON, DRUGGISTS.

At seven o'clock this morning the thermometer registered 43 degrees above zero. Clear, with southwest wind. At one o'clock p. m. the register was 74 degrees above zero. Partly cloudy with east wind. For the corresponding hours one year ago the register was 54 and 64 degrees above zero.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 22, 1 a. m.—The following are the indications for to-day:  
Upper Lake Region.—Local rains, generally cooler, partly cloudy weather, winds mostly from north to west, higher barometer.

Keep off malarial diseases by the use of Dr. Baxter's Malaria Bitters. Price 25 cents. Sold by Stearns & Baker.

**Explosion of a Gun.**

John Richardson, son of Hon. Hamilton Richardson, and Frank Roger, son of Captain Edward Roger, were at Mud lake this afternoon hunting ducks. They took with them, in addition to their regular breech-loading shot guns, an old revolutionary smooth bore rifle, for the purpose, as Young Roger says, of scaring ducks out of the middle of the lake. They were practicing with this old rifle at half-past one o'clock this afternoon. Young Richardson had the gun loaded with coarse shot, and held the gun up, to see how far out into the lake the gun would throw the shot. He blazed away—the gun exploded at the butt, tearing the barrel open about three inches on the under side, tearing the stock into pieces. By the explosion young Richardson's left eye and nose were pretty well peppered with powder—a small deep cut on the lower part of the forehead, and deep wounds just above and below the left elbow, with several other slight bruises, none of which will prove serious. Young Roger, who was standing close by, received a slight bruise just back of the left ear. The boys immediately drove to the city arriving at the doctor's office at half-past two o'clock, when young Richardson's wounds were attended to. The boys had a very narrow escape from serious injuries, and they will undoubtedly be a little more cautious in the future about handling old revolutionary smooth bore rifles.

Consumption can be cured by a persistent use of N. H. Down's Vegetable Balsamic Elixir. Sold by Stearns & Baker.

**The Public Schools and Jumbo.**

One of the most comical things of the time is the action of the board of education dismissing the public schools on account of Barnum's show. So far as our knowledge is concerned, this was never before done in Janesville, and will no doubt create a broad laugh among the people generally, and great surprise among the more sedate who can't see any fun in a circus. But what could the school board do? Should the schools be kept open next Tuesday, there wouldn't be so much as a corporal's guard in any of the schools. Leaves of absence would have to be granted to over a thousand children, and this would break up the schools for that day; so to relieve the parents from any embarrassment in asking for leaves, and to respond to the demands of the children, and give them a gala day, there was no alternative but to close the schools. Comical as it may seem it was nevertheless right, under the peculiar circumstances of the case. It shows what a far-reaching power there is in Barnum and Jumbo. The name of Barnum and the great elephant march through the country with a triumphal tread, breaking up the public schools, compelling men and women, boys and girls to leave the farms—all rushing to see the greatest show on earth. No other amusement organization in the world could do this.

**Throw Away His Crutches.**

"Suffered from rheumatism so badly had to use crutches, but threw them away after applying Thomas' Electric Oil to my limbs. I now feel better than I have for years." F. L. Gibbs, 300 Elk street, Buffalo, N. Y.

**The Coming Dramatic Event.**

The George C. Miln dramatic company will appear at Myers opera house next Friday and Saturday evenings. Hamlet will be given the first night and Macbeth the second. In these tragedies, Mr. Miln will take the part of Hamlet and Macbeth, and Miss Guernsey Ophelia in Hamlet, and Lady Macbeth. There will be a remarkable degree of local interest centering around the production of these great tragedies in Janesville. Miss Guernsey whose reputation as a dramatic reader extends as far east as the Atlantic, will on Friday, make her debut in Shakespeare's immortal tragedy, of Hamlet, the prince of Denmark. It is a great undertaking, but her ability is equal to the task. Her long study of Shakespeare, her rare natural endowments, and her thorough study during the past season under the best Shakespearean teacher in London, make her success a certainty. The opera house will doubtless be crowded on these nights in honor of such an event, and should be as a mark of well deserved respect to Miss Guernsey. Mr. Miln has an excellent troupe this season, which is made up of the best material at command in the east. Mr. Miln has spent the past season in close study in Europe, and hence will be well qualified to intelligently and carefully impersonate the characters he will assume.

**Wide Awake Druggists.**

Messrs. F. Sherer & Co. are always alive to their business, and spare no pains to secure the best of every article in their line. They have secured the agency for the celebrated Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. The only certain cure known for Consumption, Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, Asthma, Hay Fever, Bronchitis, or any affection of the Throat and Lungs. Sold on a positive guarantee. Trial bottles free. Regular size \$1.00.

**Mr. Todd Worse.**

A telephone dispatch to the Gazette from Beloit this afternoon, says that Mr. S. J. Todd received another attack at nine o'clock this morning, and that the time the message was sent he was in a very low condition with the chances of life very much against him. Mr. Todd's wide circle of friends in Janesville will deeply regret to hear of this relapse, and still indulge in the hope that he will conquer the disease.

**Bucklen's Arnica Salve.**

The greatest medical wonder of the world. Warranted to speedily cure Burns, Bruises, Cuts, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Cancri, Piles, Chilblains, Corns, Tetter, Chapped Hands, and all skin eruptions, guaranteed to cure in every instance, or money refunded. 25 cents per box. For sale by F. Sherer & Co.

**Smoke the famous Smack cigar.**

**Result of the Firemen's Tournament at Beloit.**

The firemen's tournament at Beloit yesterday afternoon was quite a defeat to the Janesville fire companies participating. There were eight companies in the contest—five hose and three hook and ladder—as follows:

**HOSE COMPANIES.**

No. 4, of Sterling, Illinois—L. E. Allen, Captain.  
Tryhards, of Lyons, Iowa—Thomas Smith, captain.  
Tiger, No. 2, of Beloit—Mosher, captain.

Water Witch, No. 2, Janesville—J. C. Spencer, captain.  
Water Witch, No. 1, of Beloit—George Dorman, captain.

**HOOK AND LADDER.**

Rescue, No. 1, Jefferson—J. A. Bucher, captain.  
Rescue No. 1, Janesville—Thomas Mahon, captain.  
Beloit, No. 1—Beloit.

Upon the arrival of the Janesville companies at 11:40 it was announced that all the companies were in the city, and a preliminary meeting of the captains was held, at which the judges were announced, and the captains drew for their positions in the race. No. 2 hose company drawing fourth place, and the hook and ladder company second place. It was evident at this meeting that an arrangement had been entered into to defeat both the Janesville companies, and this arrangement was faithfully carried out. It is unnecessary to go into details, but will say that the Janesville companies are well satisfied with the kind treatment received at the hands of the Beloit firemen, and only "object" to the ungentlemanly remarks and threats of the chief engineer of Beloit, who appeared on the track on a "high horse," assuming control of which he had no business. The odds were all against the Janesville companies. If the committee of arrangements had only succeeded in prevailing upon another hook and ladder company to compete, their plans would have been carried out to the letter. The time was finally announced as follows:

**HOSE TEAMS.**

No. 1 of Beloit, time 51 1/2 seconds.  
Try Hards, of Lyons, Iowa, time 49 1/2 seconds.  
No. 4, of Sterling, 47 1/2 seconds.  
No. 2, of Janesville, 53 1/2 seconds.  
No. 2, of Beloit, 48 1/2 seconds.

**HOOK & LADDER TEAMS.**

Rescue, of Janesville, time 38 1/2 seconds.  
Beloit, 38 1/2 seconds.  
Rescue, Jefferson, 34 1/2 seconds.  
Time keepers: G. A. Houston and S. J. Goodwin.

The distance for hose companies was 200 yards, attach hose to plug, and lay 300 feet of hose, breaking couplings and attaching pipe. The distance for hook and ladder companies was 200 yards, raise a 30 foot ladder, and sending a man to the top round.

**Speak High, Up.**

"Have tried Thomas' Electric Oil for croup and colds, and find it the best remedy I have ever used in my family." Wm. Lay, 510 Plymouth Ave., Buffalo, N. Y.

**Church Directory.**

**Giving the Time and Place Where Divine Services Will Be Held on Sunday.**  
BAPTIST CHURCH—North-east corner of Jackson and Pleasant streets. Rev. M. C. Rogers, Pastor. Residence, 24 N. Jackson St. Public worship Sabbath morning and evening. Bible school at 12 m. Young people's meeting at 7 p. m. Bible meeting Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

**COURT STREET M. E. CHURCH**—Corner of Main and Court streets. Rev. O. A. Clark, Pastor. Residence, No. 24 South Academy Street. Services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Preaching morning and evening by the pastor. Morning subject: "Our Final Home."

**UNITARIAN CHURCH**—On Jackson street. Rev. W. W. Brown, Pastor. Services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. The usual services conducted by the pastor. It is expected that the Rev. J. B. L. Soule, of Highland Park, Illinois, will preach.

**CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH**—Corner of Jackson and Dodge streets. Rev. D. P. Davies, Pastor. Residence, 1035 A. M. Young people's meeting at 7 p. m. Bible meeting Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

**Rev. H. A. Miner, of Madison,** will preach.

Prof. Bagar will open a dancing school in Cannon's hall on Friday evening, October 19, at 8 o'clock, and on Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock, for children.

**ALL SOULS CHURCH**—Corner of Court and Main streets. Rev. M. C. Rogers, Pastor. Services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 10:30 A. M.

**TRINITY CHURCH**—Corner of Jackson and Bluff streets. Rev. H. A. Miner, Pastor. Services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Morning service at 8 o'clock. Evening service at 7:30 P. M. Bible school at 12 m. Young people's meeting at 7 p. m. Bible meeting Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

**ST. MARY'S CHURCH**—Catholic—Corner of Main and Court streets. Rev. J. J. Jones, Pastor. Services at 8:00 and 10:30 A. M. Sunday school at 9:30 P. M. Vespers at 7:30 P. M.

**ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH**—Corner of Holmes and Cherry streets. Rev. J. M. McGinnity, Pastor. Services at 7:30 A. M., 9:00 A. M., and 10:30 A. M. Vespers at 7:30 P. M.

**Y. M. C. A.**—Regular Sabbath afternoon meeting at 3:30 o'clock, in the Y. M. C. A. room. All are welcome.

**CHRIST CHURCH**—On Court street. Rev. C. M. Pullen, Rector. Services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.

**CHAMOIS SKINS.**

French oil-dressed chamois skins of superior quality at Prentice & Evenson's for fifty cents each. Fine both sponges very cheap.

Smoke the celebrated "Henry Lee", the best five cent cigar in the city, at Geo. W. Shaw's, Main street.

**Personal.**

—Mr. R. H. Coker, agent for the George C. Miln, is in the city.

—Rev. H. A. Miner, of Madison, will preach in this Congregational church to-morrow.

—Mrs. C. L. Conrad and her son William have returned from the north after an absence of several weeks.

—Mrs. Luther Clark and Miss Fannie Ray went to Milwaukee to-day where they will visit friends for a week.

—Miss Minerva Guernsey has gone to Chicago, to begin rehearsals with the George C. Miln dramatic company.

—Mrs. D. D. Wilson, and her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Yarnley, went to Chicago yesterday, where they will visit several days.

—Mrs. C. B. Conrad was called to Chicago a few days ago to see her mother, who was taken quite sick. Mrs. Swift is much better to-day. Mr. Conrad went to Chicago this morning to remain over Sunday.

—Miss Ellen Belden, who has been in the sale department of Alattie McCallagh's millinery store for the past nine months, has accepted a position in the New York sewing store, taking the position on Monday next.

—Mr. Charles L. Clark went to Chicago to-day where he will continue his course of study at the Rush medical college which begins next Tuesday. Charles will graduate next March. He is a studious young man, very bright and promising, and with half a chance will succeed in his chosen profession.

—The following from our fellow townsman, Mr. S. B. Clemens: "The Social dance at the armory last night, a merry crowd being in attendance, and the whole affair pressed off as merrily as could be desired. Wash Force gave the music, and now that Wash has a new man in his orchestra his dancing music is not to be succeeded at. The acquisition is a certain Mr. Clemens, who plays the flute beautifully and with him the orchestra is as good as a new one. The dancers are struck on "Mark Twain," as the new man is dubbed.

"You are very kind, sir," but I prefer N. K. Brown's Ess. Jamaica Ginger. I know what it does."

**For Sale.**

The Norcross homestead. A large well built house with barn, granary, hen-house and five acres of land, within three-quarters of a mile from the C. & N. W. and C. M. & St. Paul railroad depots, and within 1 1/2 miles from the postoffice of the city of Janesville, Rock county, Wisconsin. The house is a high two story bipped roof frame building, containing large parlors, dining room with large bay window, library, kitchen, bathroom, and seven sleeping rooms. The grounds are 30x40 rods, and divided into pasture, garden, small butternut orchard, and lawn, and are well stocked with fruit and ornamental trees. The above named premises are exceedingly well adapted to the business of a tobacco grower or dealer. More land can be had if desired. Terms will be made to suit purchaser. Apply, Campbell & Stevens, Real estate agents, Janesville, Wis.

Pierce's Favorite Prescription, one dol lar per bottle, at Stearns & Baker's.

"The Westminster," the leading base burner of the world. Kimball & Lovell, sole agents, Janesville.

**PERSONAL TO MEN ONLY!**

Dr. Voltaire Belt Co., Marshall, Mich., will send DR. DYER'S UNPARALLELED ELECTRO-VOLTAIC BATTERY AND ELECTRIC APPLIANCE on trial for thirty days to men (young or old) who are afflicted with Nervous Debility, Lost Vitality and Manhood, and kindred troubles, guaranteeing speedy and complete restoration of health and vigor. Address as above. N. B.—No risk is incurred, as thirty days' trial is allowed. Get it today.

**ADVICE TO MOTHERS.**

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your sleep by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of cutting teeth? If so, send at once and get a bottle of WILSON'S SORCERER. It is a simple and safe remedy, and is a reliable and it will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it mothers, there is no mistake about it. It cures distressing and dangerous eruptions of the stomach and bowels, cures wind colic, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, and gives tone and energy to the whole system. Mrs. Wilson's Sorcerer is a simple and safe remedy, and is a reliable and it will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it mothers, there is no mistake about it. It cures distressing and dangerous eruptions of the stomach and bowels, cures wind colic, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, and gives tone and energy to the whole system. 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